JUSTIFICATION STATEMENT FOR CONTRACT AWARD

Southern Utah University Multi-Purpose Building Elevator Installation DFCM Project No. 03057730

The VBS selection committee feels that awarding the contract for the SUU Multi-Purpose Building Elevator Installation to Carter Enterprises, Inc. (Carter) would provide the best value to the State of Utah and to SUU.

The committee resolved to rank Carter as the firm that provides the best value to the State of Utah due to the following:

- Carter demonstrated good-to-exceptional past performance;
- The value to the State and to SUU is substantial;
- Carter submitted a management plan that was well thought-out and in line for this type of project; and
- Carter demonstrated the capability of accomplishing the project schedule.

VBS Selection Final Scoring Matrix

Southern Utah University Multi-Purpose Building Elevator Installation DFCM Project No. 03057730

27 June 2003

Selection Criteria	Carter Enterprises		
Past Performance Rating	4.5	4.7	5
Strength of Team	4.5	4.8	5
Project Management Approach	4.5	4.7	5
Schedule	4.5	5	5
Contractor's Plan for Completing Construction Work by August 18, 2003; and Elevator Car Installation by October 31, 2003	4.5	5	4.9
Cost	\$134,500		